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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

BROKERS' AND BANKERS' BOARD

(CORRECTED BY ROBINSON, M'LEAN & CO.)

MONDAY, February 27, 1865.

	Offd.	Asked.	Sales.
U. S. Bonds 1881	—	—	—
Connellsville R'd	80,00	81,00	—
Steubenville scrip	—	60	—
Allegheny Ins. Co.	35,00	37,00	—
Connellsville R R shares	—	18,50	—
do do int.	18,00	—	—
Meadowville	—	8,00	—
Bank of Pittsburgh	72,00	72,50	—
Mechanics'	—	78,50	—
Allegheny	—	70,00	—
4th National	—	156,00	—
Dalzell	5,50	—	—
Columbia	—	18,00	—
Phillips	3,50	—	—
Oil Exch.	—	9,00	—
Fairview & Cherry Run	—	1,00	—
Hitchcock	—	1,00	—
Cherry Run & Pit-Hole	97	—	—
Pittsburgh & Phila.	8,15	—	—
Ohio Valley	1,40	1,00	—
Central Basin	—	1,05	—
Great American	—	8,00	—
Duck Creek	—	8,50	—
Monongahela Navigation	—	46,50	—

The Gold market opened firm this morning; 200 bid at first board in New York, afterwards advancing to 200¾@201. Stocks rallied under the movement in gold, and the entire list is reported strong. The market takes its tone evidently from discouraging rumors relative to army movements in Virginia and South Carolina. However, much confidence we may have in the splendid military abilities of Grant and Sherman, and in the fortitude and courage of the veterans under them, we cannot but remember that victory is often an accident, or, in other words, a Providence. This uncertainty strengthens gold, depresses governments, and will continue to do so until the closing contest, now so imminent, is definitely settled by a crowning victory.

Oil market was steady but without excitement. But few sales at Board. No dealings reported in Governments. Oil shares firm, with rare exceptions. Columbia offered a shade lower, at 78. Dalzell, 69½ bid—none offered. Paxton elicits more inquiry at the moment, than any stock on the list. The large holders picking up the small lots quite rapidly at 2. We are cognizant of a number of sales on the street at that figure during the day.

There was decidedly firmer feeling manifested in Oil Stocks at the People's Exchange this evening, and with a fair amount of transactions, prices, with but few exceptions, ruled higher. Dalzell sold at an advance of about 1 per share, as did also, Caldwell, and but little of either offered at the advance. Ohio Valley advanced from 3 to 30. Pittsburgh & Hynds Farm, 26@31; Paxton, 56@10, and the list generally left off firm with an upward tendency. We subjoin a list of the sales:

200	Central Basin	7 25
500	Cherry Run & Blood	1 00
100	Cherry Run & Pittsburgh	1 03
200	Dalzell	9 37½
75	Meadow	1 00
100	Ohio Valley	1 00
100	" "	1 03
100	" "	1 00
200	Oil Creek & Cherry Run	1 00
100	" " "	1 00
100	Paxton	3 00
400	"	3 00
100	"	3 00
100	Pittsburgh & Philadelphia	2 10
100	" " "	2 00
200	" " "	2 00
100	" " "	2 05
300	Rathbone	2 00
500	Rose	1 00
1000	Hynds Farm	2 00
100	Tarr, Story & Cherry Run	1 00
700	" " "	1 00
100	" " "	1 00
100	Whitely Creek	1 75
200	" "	1 00
300	" "	1 00
100	" "	2 00

Tarr, Story & Cherry Run declined, as compared with Saturday night's sales, and Cherry Run General ruled lower, being offered at 3,00, with only 2,25 bid. After calling off the list, 9,50 was offered for Dalzell, and 2,00 for Ohio Valley.

The offerings and bids were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Pitts. & Man. P. R. R.	—	—
Pittsburgh & Steubenville R. R.	60 00	—
Allegheny Valley R. R.	5 00	8 00
Bank of Pittsburgh	—	14 00
Exchange Bank	—	72 00
Monongahela Navigation	75 00	—
Acme Oil	—	46 50
Allegheny River Oil	—	25 00
Allegheny & Pittsburgh	—	9 00
Banner	—	10 00
Blood Farm & Ohio	—	1 00
Cherry Run Central	—	2 25
Cherry Run & Pit Hole	2 25	2 30
Columbia	90	95
Culbertson's Run	77 00	80 00
Dark Creek	—	1 50
Eldorado	20 00	22 00
Fleming & Blood	1 75	1 90
Hamlock	3 10	3 20
Hibernock	4 00	4 50
Iron Rock	1 01	1 05
Lucesia Oil & Mining	50	1 00
Merchants	95	1 00
Oil Basin	50	55
Phillips	—	5 50
Rescue	4 25	6 00
Stanton	1 05	1 10
Star Wells	55	75
Tack	85	1 00
Union Lubric	2 00	—
Western Pennsylvania	20 00	21 00

Previous to calling the regular list at the People's Exchange this evening, it was resolved that hereafter no offer to buy or sell stock would be considered valid, unless the number of shares was mentioned, to buy or sell as the case might be. On motion, it was also resolved that a committee of five be appointed at the next session, to prepare rules and regulations for the proper government of the Exchange.

Our patrons will please take notice that the books of subscription for a limited number of shares in the "Vaca, Martinez and San Pedro Silver Mining Company," to be incorporated under the Mining Laws of the State of New York, will be opened at the Banking House of Messrs. Robinson, McClean & Co., No. 75 Fourth Street, on Wednesday, March 1st, 1865.

These celebrated mines are situated at Batopilas, Mexico, near the Gulf of California, and each company's Spanish pertinencia—(a pertinencia is 100 Spanish yards, or Varas wide, by 200 in length.) They have been worked by Mexicans in an indifferent and rude form, and have given millions of net silver. The pertinencia to the left of these is called "Pertenas," and is owned by George Lebrime, of Mexico, and Louis McLane, of the house of Wells, Fargo & Co, San Francisco, Cal., who write their property at half a million in gold. The pertinancia on the right is owned by Don Bernardino Beltrans, and Senor Valensuela, of Batopilas, who value their property nearly as high as that on the left. Mr. John R. Robinson, of Batopilas, agent for mining property owned by some of the prominent members of the well known house of Wells, Fargo & Co., of San Francisco and New York, writes to Mr. A. H. Barney, the managing agent at New York, and also Vice-President of the American Express Co., stating, that the San Pedro mine alone is worth 500,000 dollars in gold, and we are also assured by a gentleman who was sent to Batopilas, to examine this property, and who comes to us abundantly endorsed that the Vaca pertinancia is more valuable than the San Pedro, and the Martinez little less. All that is required to make these mines yield their millions is a little capital with American energy and enterprise.

Three thousand pertinancias have been secured for 300,000 dollars in currency, and with a working capital of 100,000 dollars, is formed into a joint stock company, with 600,000 dollars capital, at 10 dollars per share, of which 22,000 shares, more than one-half, have been secured for this market, the balance being taken in San Francisco and New York. Parties never need fear additional expense, but on the contrary, may confidently expect large returns. Title papers, good management and faithful returns of the company are all guaranteed. For further particulars call at the office of Messrs. Robinson, M'Clean & Co., and see maps, prospectus, specimens of native silver ore, and workings, &c., &c. See advertisement.

The total imports at New York for the week compare as follows with former returns:

	1865.	1864.	1863.
Week ending Feb. 23.	$8,716,716	$1,976,639	$1,000,691
Feb. 9.	1,826,025	1,760,958	1,414,790
Since Jan. 1.	1865.	1864.	1863.
Entered at the port	$10,227,833	$17,831,763	$4,275,823
Thrown on market	9,721,928	18,217,711	6,872,207

The New York evening Post of Saturday says:—For government securities the demand is becoming more active among the leading Wall street dealers, with an advance of ⅛@¼ in prices. The ten-forty years five per cent. bonds attract most attention from bankers, who either have organized or are about to organize under the national system, and they are also preferred to the higher priced six per cents by speculators and investers. One reason assigned for it is is, that at present the ten-forties, at interest, cost only 97½, and are more easily bought in large sums, without putting up the price rapidly, than any other gold bearing government bonds.

DAILY REVIEW OF PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

MONDAY, FEB. 27, 1865.

The general markets continue quiet and very dull, the demand for produce being very tight and restricted almost entirely to the wants of consumers, while prices, generally, have undergone no change whatever. There is a decided improvement in the receipts of Grain, Flour, Hay, Butter, Seeds, and produce generally, and with a large supply and limited demand, the general impression is that prices for most of the articles above named must give way.

GRAIN—Wheat is not very active, and prices have still further declined, we now quote at $1,30 for Red from wagon, and $2,00 for White. Barley is dull and nominal at $1,25. Oats is quiet but nominally unchanged; small sales from store at 67@70. Corn—Still—no sales.

FLOUR—The demand for this commodity continues exceedingly light, but there is no change to make in quotations; small sales of Extra Family from store at at $10,25@10,50 for Spring Wheat brands and $10,75@11, for Winter Wheat do. Sales of 2,000 lbs Buckwheat Flour at $9,50 per cwt.

PROVISIONS—The demand for Bacon continues light though prices are without change. Small sales at 19@20¢ for Shoulders 22 for Ribbed, and 23 for Clear Sides, and 24 for Hams. Lard is still quoted at 21 cents. Sales of 20,000 lbs Bulk Sides at 19 cents, packed.

BUTTER—The market continues very dull, and with a supply largely in excess of the demand, prices may be quoted at 40@ cents per lb inferior, of 43@45 Rolls at 50@60 for fair to prime.

EGGS—Steady, with a fair demand for fresh packed at 40@42 cents.

CHEESE—is steady, with a fair demand, at 22 for Western Reserve; and 23 for Hamburg.

HAY—Has still further declined, and the supply is large and increasing; sales of 65 tons bale: at $25, and small sales from scales at $26@28.

SEEDS—Clover Seed is quiet and in good supply but unchanged; small sales at $11,50 per bushel Timothy Seed is unchanged, while Flax is dull and lower.

HOMINY—Is steady at $12 per bbl.

GREEN APPLES—Are coming in more freely, but with a fair local and shipping demand the market may be quoted steady at $4,50@500 per bbl, as to quality.

PHILADELPHIA STOCK MARKET.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 27, 1865

The market for Oil Stocks was excited and quite rampant to-day, although the transactions were mostly confined to the low priced shares. Royal, Atlantic, Eureka, Sugar Dale, Junction, and Logan, were most active, and prices generally better, but closed irregular and rather off. Dalzell, also, was better. The closing sales were as follows:

Royal	2 20	Junction	5 00
Phila. & Oil Creek	1 50	Sugar Dale	7 50
McClintock	6 12	Atlas	1 75
Cadiz	14 00	Dalzell	9 75
Sherman	1 50	St. Nicholas	4 75
Oil Creek & Cherry Run	1 00	Perry	3 62
Exbert	3 00	Maple Shade	24 00
Cherry Run	49 00	El Dorado	22 00
Caldwell	7 75	Sugar Creek	16 00

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET

MONDAY, Feb. 27, 1865.

There has been no characteristic in the Petroleum market to-day worthy of special notice. In Crude, as a matter of course, there is nothing doing, for the simple reason that there is no stock; and, as there has been no sales for some time past, it is impossible to give quotations. Refined, in bond, is scarcely ever mentioned, and some of our regular dealers have almost forgotten that there is such an article. Free Oil is quiet and dull but nominally unchanged, sales at 51 to 52 cents; sale to-day of 50 bbls at 51. Naptha is quiet, but held pretty firmly at previous rates. Residuum is firm, with a fair demand at $6,50 per bbl.

NEW YORK PETROLEUM MARKET.

Special dispatch to the Gazette.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27, 1865.

The petroleum market is quiet, at 43@44c for Crude, 67½@68c for Refined, in bond, and 88@89½c for Free.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF THE PHILADELPHIA STOCK MARKET.

Reported Expressly for the Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25, 1865.

The market for oil stocks has been excited and very active within the last day or two, and for most of the leading companies, prices are well maintained and firm. The greatest activity however, was chiefly confined to Sugar Creek and the neighboring companies, all of which have been the property of the first mentioned company, and prices have advanced. Sugar Creek which sold a few weeks ago at, at 2@3¢ went up to 16½@16¾. Caldwell and Keystone, were all better, but with some fluctuations to note in most of the above named companies, the list generally left off easier. The sales to-day having been very limited to-day, compared with those of last Saturday:

	Feb. 18.	Feb. 25.
Dalzell	8 75	8 75
Complanter	5 62	5 50
St. Nicholas	4 12	4 25
Sugar Creek	6 00	16 25
Caldwell	5 75	7 87
Egbert	3 62	3 62
Eldorado	1 87	1 87
Maple Shade	24 75	25 00
Phila. & Oil Creek	1 44	1 50
Noble & Delamater	1 25	1 31
McClintock	6 12	6 50
Atlas	6 27	6 25
Bruner	1 31	1 50
Mingo	1 31	1 37
Rose	1 18	1 09
Cherry Run	1 81	2 00
Tarr Homestead	30 00	31 00
Oil Creek & Cherry Run	5 00	5 37
Hilbard	1 81	1 87
Curtin	14 00	11 50

Philadelphia Market—Mail Report.

Fish—Mackerel continue to meet a steady demand at full rates. Small invoices sold from the steamer at $18,50@8. Sales of No. 1, in small way at $26@27 ⅌ bbl for Shore, $18@20 for Bay, $16@20 for Shore No. 2's; $16 for Bay do; $15 for Shore and $14 for small No. 3's. Codfish are firm and have advanced to $5,50@5,75 ⅌ qtl. Herring sell at $4,50@5; 600 bxs Scaled brought 47½ cents. Hake are held at 36; Haddock at $4,50; Pollock and Shad at $7½ ⅌ bbl.

Domestic Fruit—Green Apples have advanced ⅌ bbl, but there is not much demand at these figures. Sales at $8@9 per bbl. In Dried Fruit there is very little doing, and prices are no change worth note. Sales of 10,000 lbs Apples at 19¼@16c. 40,000 lbs Peaches, quarters, sold at 20¼@22c. There is a steady demand for Dried Peaches at 30@32. Blackberries are held at 34, and Cherries at 42. Raspberries are very scarce.

Molasses—Prime or choice of prime quality is in good demand. Sales of 200 hogsheads, Cuba at prime quality at 74@76c, 50 ⅌ gal. 300 bbls, Cuba, 72c, 40 bbls, Havana, 72c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 70c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 68c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 65c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 62c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 60c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 58c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 55c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 52c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 50c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 48c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 45c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 42c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 40c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 38c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 35c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 32c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 30c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 28c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 25c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 22c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 20c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 18c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 15c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 12c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 10c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 8c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 6c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 4c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 2c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 1c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 0c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 0c, 50 bbls, Cuba, 0